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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION
DATED OCTOBER 21, 2002 AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Commissioner:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action dated October 21, 2002, for which the three-month date for response was January 21, 2003. A petition for a three-month extension of time, along with the corresponding process fee, is included with this paper. The granting of this petition will bring the due date for this response to April 21, 2003. This response is being filed concurrently with an RCE for this application.

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